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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re Application of:
Dantzig, et al.**

Serial No.: 09/995,087

Confirmation No.: 9571

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**For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
DYNAMICALLY ALLOCATING
PROCESSING ON A NETWORK
AMONGST MULTIPLE NETWORK
SERVERS**

Group Art Unit: 2155

Examiner: Asad M. Nawaz

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 20, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on January 22, 2007 with a one month extension of time, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. Applicants believe that a month extension of time is due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/IBMY/920010320 for the one month extension of time, and for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.